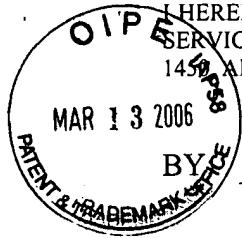


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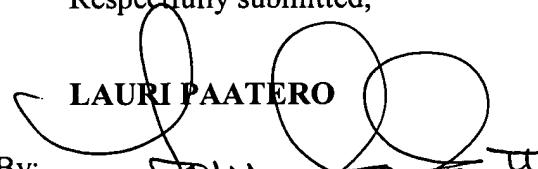
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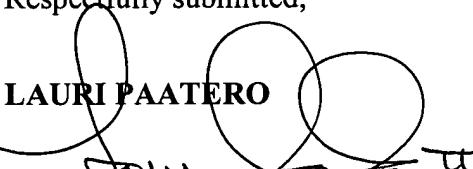
Applicant in the above-identified application hereby petitions for a three (3)-month extension of time to and including March 9, 2006 for responding to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2005. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

- A check in the amount of \$900 is enclosed herewith, \$120 being previously paid for a one month extension.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No. 209943.0003**) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- Extension fee in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.00
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